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### INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, Applicant wishes to make certain items of record, as listed on the accompanying Form PTO-1449. Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to consider the items before issuance of the next action, and to make them of record in the file. The Examiner is also requested to initial and return a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 to evidence such consideration.

Of the references listed on the Form 1449, it is believed that the excerpts from the Intel Architecture Software Developer's Manual are the most relevant. The Examiner is requested to fully consider all items and independently ascertain their teaching.

Copies of the items listed on the enclosed copy of Form PTO-1449 that are not enclosed with this Information Disclosure Statement were previously submitted to the Patent and Trademark Office in Information Disclosure Statements filed in application Serial No. 09/239,194, Yates et al., EXECUTING PROGRAMS FOR A FIRST COMPUTER ARCHITECTURE ON A COMPUTER OF A SECOND ARCHITECTURE, filed January 28, 1999.

No fee is due under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(p) for this Information Disclosure Statement since it is being filed in compliance with 37 C.F.R. §1.97(b)(3), to the knowledge of the undersigned, before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits.

I certify that this correspondence, along with any documents referenced therein, is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on December 3, 1999 with sufficient postage as First Class Mail, addressed to The Assistant Commissioner of Patents, Washington D.C. 20231.

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